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Application Number	09/805,016
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First Named Inventor	Evgenyi Y. Shabev
Art Unit	1654
Examiner Name	J. E. Russel
Attorney Docket Number	PC10807A

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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Evgenyi Shalaev, et al.

Examiner: **Jeffrey E. Russel**

APPLICATION NO.: **09/805,016**

FILING DATE: March 12, 2001

Group Art Unit: **1653**

TITLE: **Use of Methoxysalicylaldehyde Derivatives**

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RESPONSE UNDER RULE 1.111

Responsive to the Office Action of April 28, 2003 reconsideration and reexamination of this application are requested in view of the following amendments and comments.

Please amend this application as follows:

In the Specification

Kindly replace the paragraph at page 5, lines 28 through page 6, line 10. The amendment is to correct formalities in accordance with the Examiner's request. It is believed no new matter has been added. The full text of the replacement paragraph with markings to show all the changes relative to the previous version of the paragraph follows: